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FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4323

INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY BERLIN

AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

USLO PEKING

AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

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SUBJECT: MLADENOV DEPARTS FOR VIETNAM; BIOGRAPHIC SKETCH OF
NEW VIETNAMESE AMBASSADOR

1. BULGARIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MLADENOV DEPARTED SOFIA
MARCH 28 FOR VIETNAM, WITH BRIEF STOP INMOSCOW.

2. NEW VIETNAMESE AMBASSADOR LE QUANG HIEP (PHON) PRESENTED
HIS CREDENTIALS TO STATE COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (PRESIDENT) TODOR
ZHIVKOV MARCH 27.

3. BULGARIAN PRESS COVERAGE INCLUDED FOLLOWING BIOGRAPHIC
INFORMATION ON AMBASSADOR HIEP. BORN IN 1926. 1944-45,
PARTICIPATED IN PATRIOTIC ORGANIZATIONS. 1946-50, SECRETARY
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OF A DISTRICT COMMITTEE AND MEMBER OF A COUNTY EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE OF VIETNAMESE COMMUNIST PARTY. 1951-54, WORKED
WITH COMMISSION FOR EDUCATIONAL WORK AT THE SCHOOL OF
TRAINING OF SPECIALISTS IN HIGHER AND SECONDARY EDUCATION.
1955, ASSIGNED TO VIETNAMESE EMBASSY, BERLIN. SUBSEQUENTLY,
SECTION CHIEF AT MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. 1971, CHIEF
OF OFFICE OF COMMITTEE FOR CULTURAL RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTS TO KNOW WHAT EAST
ASIAN POSTS COVER VIETNAM IN ABSENCE OF POST THERE, FOR
FUTURE REPORTING.
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